



The Pensioner: In the Moment

Welcome to the digital MPERS newsletter! *The Pensioner: In the Moment* contains news, updates, and important information for retirees of the Missouri Department of Transportation, the Missouri State Highway Patrol, and MPERS.

2023 Financial Status Update

Once again, MPERS had an awesome fiscal year!

Check out the short summary from MPERS' Executive Director, Scott Simon, below.





COLA REMINDER!

*Closed Plan benefit recipients
received a COLA on their
October 31st benefit payment*

*Year 2000 Plan and 2011 Tier
benefit recipients receive COLAs on
the anniversary of their retirement
or backdrop date.*

MPERS Receives Public Pension Standards Award for 20th Consecutive Year

MPERS has once again received an award in recognition of meeting professional plan design and administration standards!

If you would like to learn more about the award, please visit the [Public Pension Coordinating Council page](#).



Public Pension Coordinating Council

**Public Pension Standards Award
For Funding and Administration
2023**

Presented to

MoDOT & Patrol Employees' Retirement System

In recognition of meeting professional standards for
plan funding and administration as
set forth in the Public Pension Standards.

Presented by the Public Pension Coordinating Council, a confederation of

National Association of State Retirement Administrators (NASRA)
National Conference on Public Employee Retirement Systems (NCPERS)
National Council on Teacher Retirement (NCTR)

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Program Administrator



NOVEMBER

Upcoming Events

- 10 - Veterans Day, office closed
- 15 - Deadline to submit direct deposit and/or tax withholding changes [Complete changes here](#)
- 16 - Board meeting
- 23 - Thanksgiving Day, office closed
- 30 - Payday for benefit recipients



We value your feedback!

What would you like to see in *The Pensioner: In the Moment*?

Send comments and suggestions to Julie.West@mpers.org.